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LEONARD SANDERS

Is Innocent of Wahl Murder, Says Jury
—Prisoner Smiles at Verdict.

Georgetown, Ohio, November 23—
Leonard Sanders, Mt. Orab liverman,
was found not guilty of the murder of
Henry Wahl today, closing one of the
most sensational criminal cases in the
history of Brown county.

The jury deliberated two hours be-
fore rendering the verdict that re-
turned to the accused man his liberty.

Three ballots were taken among the
12 men. On the first ballot ten stood
for acquittal and two that he be con-
demned. The second ballot found 11
for acquittal and one for conviction.
On the third and last ballot his free-
dom was assured.

Judge Corn gave the deliberation in-
to the hands of the jury at 2:30 p. m.,
charging them at the same time as to
certain interpretations of the law.

During this period Sanders sat with
his attorneys, accompanied by his son.
As the talesmen filed from the room
he did not glance toward them. He
was taken to the jail nearby, and there
waited the verdict.

During the day's session Mrs. Sand-
ers, wife of the defendant, sat in the
courtroom. As the men filed from the
jury box she left the building and did
not return.

It was 5:18 o'clock before the small
bell in the courtroom rang.
The crowd of men and women who
had been laughing and joking during
the absence of the juryman grew silent.
Judge Corn ordered that the
accused man be brought into the room.

Accompanied by Sheriff Isaac Bower,
the liverman entered and walked
firmly to his chair beside Attorney
Thomas Darby. It was some time be-
fore the men entered the jury box, and
as they did, Sanders scanned their
faces as if endeavoring to read their
verdict.

William Gardner, foreman, an-
nounced a verdict had been reached.
The paper was carried to a clerk and
the spectators leaned forward in the
benches.

Sanders did not glance toward the
man who held the answer in his
hands.

Not until the verdict "Not guilty"
was read did his mask break, and he
smiled slightly as Attorney Darby
grasped him by the hand.

Neither Ethel Wahl, widow of the
murdered man and clandestine sweet-
heart of Sanders, nor the father or
mother of Henry Wahl was in court
when the verdict was announced.

Several minutes later Amanda Wahl
and Ethel Wahl appeared in a doorway
and, seeing Sanders shaking hands
with his attorneys, knew he had been
acquitted.

As the court was dismissing Amanda
Wahl, mother of the dead boy, rushed
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Her cries of anguish could be heard
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Personals

Mr. C. M. Dooley of Market street
spent the day in Cincinnati yester-
day.

Mr. Baker Jones of the county was
a business visitor in this city yester-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickett Wood of Ash-
land, Ky., are spending a few days in
this city.

Mr. William Groppenbacher of East
Second street is spending a few days
at French Licks, Ind.

Mrs. Roland Steele of East Second
street left yesterday on a visit with
relatives in Newport, Ky.

Mr. Claude Linville of Ewing is
visiting his brother, Mr. E. E. Linville
and family of Poplar street.

Miss Marie Hord returned to her
home in this city yesterday after a few
days visit with friends in Augusta.

Miss Lena Wells Lykins of Vance-
burg is spending a few days with Prof.
and Mrs. C. S. Dale of West Second
street.

Mr. H. N. Logan returned to his
home in Morehead, Ky., yesterday after
a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hayes
of Forest avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Taylor left yester-
day for their home in Oklahoma af-
ter a short visit with their daughter,
Mrs. Isaac Landerback of West Sec-
ond street.

Misses Jo. and Clara Vogel of Iron-
ton, O., are guests of their aunt, Mrs.
Lottie Sproemberg, of Commerce street
and are attending the big Tobacco and
Corn Fair.

Mrs. J. R. Insko of Augusta arrived
yesterday to spend a few days with her
husband, who is engaged in this
city as cornetist at the Washington
Opera House.

Judge Walt S. Harkins and Hon. C.
S. Ferguson of Prestonburg, Ky., spent
Thursday with the former's daughter,
Mrs. G. L. Howard of Fourth street.
They returned home yesterday.

GENEROUS DONATIONS TO MASON COUNTY HEALTH LEAGUE BY MR. MARCUS KELLERMAN

On last Tuesday night Mr. Marcus
Kellerman, the talented and noted
musician, gave one of the most de-
lightful musical entertainments ever
held in Washington Opera House, to
a small yet cultured and appreciative
audience.

The performance was given under
the auspices of the Mason County
Health League, and was for the benefit
of the nurse automobile fund.

Mr. Kellerman was guaranteed \$100
before he would appear here. Upon
his arrival in Mayaville he learned the
purpose of the entertainment and ex-
pressed his interest in the outcome.
When the time came for settling it
was found the receipts had exceeded
his guarantee and that he was entitled
to \$125.25 instead of \$100 as his share
of the net proceeds. Upon being in-
formed that the committee had good
the guarantee fund, he graciously do-
nated the excess over his guarantee,
amounting to \$25.25, making the fund
that much larger by his generous act.

This action upon the part of Mr.
Kellerman is deeply appreciated by the
members of the Mason County Health
League especially as he was a stranger
to most of them. His charitable deed
will long live in the hearts of those
interested in the movement, and a glad
welcome awaits him should he ever
choose to return to our proud city on
the Ohio River.

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C. & O. FILES SUIT

Richmond, Va., November 23—Notice
of an injunction sought by the Ches-
apeake & Ohio railroad to test the
Adamson act, was served today on fed-
eral district attorneys for the eastern
and western Virginia districts. Ar-
guments will be heard here December
4.

The Central Presbyterian Church
Bazaar can assist you in your Thank-
sgiving dinner. 25-41

MASON COUNTIAN DIES

(Cynthiana Log Cabin)

Mr. William T. Reese, in his 58th
year, died at his home on Main street
yesterday afternoon at 1:40 o'clock,
after a protracted illness of heart dis-
ease.

Mr. Reese was a native of Mason
county and was the son of Mrs. Mary
Reese, of this city, and the late Isaac
Reese. His first wife was a Miss How-
ard, the surviving children by this union
being Miss Bertha Reese, of this
city, and Mrs. W. L. Brendler, of Cov-
ington, who have devotedly cared for
their father during his protracted ill-
ness. Mr. Reese's second wife was for-
merly Mrs. Effie Humphrey who sur-
vives with one daughter, Dorothy,
about two years of age. Besides his
mother, wife and daughters, he leaves
two sisters, Mrs. James McLeany, of
Ewing, and Mrs. Henry McCarty, of
Centerville.

The funeral services will be held at
the residence, No. 2 Main street, Sat-
urday at 2:30 p. m., conducted by Rev.
J. D. Armstrong, of the Christian
Church, of which the deceased was a
member. The burial will occur at Bat-
tle Grove.

BADLY INJURED

Mr. W. H. Dodge of the Fleming Pike
was rather severely injured while on
his way to this city yesterday morning
with a load of hay when he was struck
by an automobile.

Mr. Dodge had been riding on the
wagon carrying the hay and being cold
had gotten off to walk along beside the
wagon. An automobile was seen by
him coming along the road toward him
and seeing that his horses would scare
he ran to the head of his team to hold
them. Just before the auto reached
him one of the horses jerked its head
and he was thrown before the ap-
proaching auto. He was struck and
dragged for a short distance. Upon
examination he was found to have been
badly scratched about the face and had
suffered number of bruises.
The occupants in the auto offered
to bring him to Mayaville where his
wounds could be attended to but he
refused all offers of aid. County
Judge W. H. Rice was coming toward
this city and offered to bring him in
and he accepted. Dr. McGuire dressed
his wounds.

MARKETS

MAYSVILLE PRODUCE MARKET

Following are this morning's quotations
on country produce telephoned at
9 o'clock by the E. L. Manchester Pro-
duce Company:

Eggs (loss off)..... 35c
Butter..... 22c
Hens..... 10c
Roosters..... 7c
Springers..... 12c
Turkeys..... 19c

CINCINNATI MARKET

GRAIN
Wheat—\$1.88@1.88.
Corn—99½@1.00.
Oats—59½@60c.
Rye—\$1.54@1.56.
Hay—13.50@16.50.

CATTLE
Shippers—\$7.50@8.25.
Butcher Steers—\$7.00@8.00.
Heifers—\$6.75@7.00.
Cows—\$6.00@6.25.

CALVES
Extra—\$10.75@11.00.
Fair to good—\$9.50@10.75.
Common and large—\$4.50@9.50.

HOGS
Choice packers and butchers—
\$9.95@10.00.
Stags—\$6.25@8.25.
Common to choice sows—\$7.25@
\$9.35.

Light shippers—\$8.50@8.85.
Pigs—\$6.00@8.00.

SHEEP
Sheep—\$6.75@7.00.
Lambs—\$10.75@11.00.

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One of these coupons good
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Twenty-five (25) Mutual Movie
Stamps, pasted on a card furnished by
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Merchants who hand the stamps as five
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A catalog of handsome and useful
presents will be mailed you on receipt
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The employees of the Mayaville Wat-
er Co. have been busy in the past few
days reinforcing one of the supports
of the water mains over Limestone
Creek. The base of the support is be-
ing reinforced with concrete. The
concrete was mixed on the street and
then led through a chute to the place
desired.

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For two gentlemen or man and wife.
Bath in connection. Apply to Mrs.
J. P. Nash, 333 East Second street,
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FOR RENT—Two rooms in Cox row
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FOR RENT—Two rooms in the Parker
Apartment in West Third street, for-
merly occupied by W. H. Cox.

FOR RENT—Four-room brick house;
water and light. Apply at 405 East
Front street.

FOR RENT—Desirable first-floor
apartment, with all modern conven-
iences for housekeeping. Mrs. W. H.
Means, 209 W. Second street. 24-1w

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms
for man and wife. Phone 630.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—16 gauge, double barrel,
hammerless Parker shotgun. Price
\$35. Apply at this office. o30tf

FOR SALE—1 coal heater, 7 cooking
stove and 1 gas range, 411 Forest
avenue. n24-3t

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Fourth street, Cincinnati. o30-1m

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the High School enjoyed a half holiday
yesterday afternoon on account of
good behavior during the past month.
These holidays every month cause the
students to keep good behavior in or-
der to gain the reward.

Quite a few attended the parcel post
and box social conducted by the Ladies'
Aid Society of the Third Street M. E.
Church last evening. The affair was
a great success financially and socially
and the ladies were very much pleased
the result of their efforts.

Pay a Visit to This Booth